

Second Regular Session 119th General Assembly (2016)

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SENATE ENROLLED ACT No. 174

AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 35-44.1-2-6, AS AMENDED BY P.L.158-2013, SECTION 505, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2016]: Sec. 6. **(a)** A person who, **with intent to:**

(1) deceive; or

(2) induce compliance with the person's instructions, orders, or requests;

falsely represents that the person is a public servant, ~~with intent to mislead and induce another person to submit to false official authority or otherwise to act to the other person's detriment in reliance on the false representation;~~ commits impersonation of a public servant, a Class A misdemeanor, **except as provided in subsection (b).**

(b) ~~However, a person who~~ **The offense described in subsection (a) is a Level 6 felony if the person** falsely represents that the person is:

(1) a law enforcement officer; or

(2) an agent or employee of the department of state revenue, and collects any property from another person.

~~commits a Level 6 felony.~~

SECTION 2. IC 35-48-4-1.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY

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1, 2016]: **Sec. 1.5. A practitioner (as defined by IC 16-42-19-5) who knowingly or intentionally prescribes a schedule I, II, III, IV, or V controlled substance without a legitimate medical purpose commits dealing in a controlled substance by a practitioner, a Level 4 felony. However, the offense is a Level 3 felony if the offense is the proximate cause of another person's death.**



President of the Senate

President Pro Tempore

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Governor of the State of Indiana

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